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ordinary general meeting to be held at the office of the general managers on Friday Colonial Secretary's Office until Noon of next at 11.30 a.m., states that gross earnings for the past year amount to \$147,082.52 and after deducting interest paid and all soon thereafter as possession can be given, expenses, "remuneration to general managers, consulting committee's and auditors fees, and including the balance of \$1,394.55 brought forward from last year's account, there remains a sum of \$95,274.55 which it is recommended be appropriated as fol-·lows, viz:-To place to Reserve Fund, \$5,000; To pay a dividend of 70 cents per share, \$87,500 : To carry forward to the credit of next year's account, \$9.774.55. Consulting Committee .- Mr. G. H. Medhurst having resigned on leaving the Colony, Mr. S. H. Dodwell was invited to take his place. In accordance with the Articles of A sociation, Messrs. H. P. White, U Poi On and S. H. Dodwell retire, but offer themselves for re-election. Auditors.—The accounts have been audited by Messrs. A. O'D. Gourdin and W. H. Potts, who are recommended for re-

Messrs Lloyd, Mathewson and Carrist, in their Weekly Tea Report dated Jan. I RON, STEFL, METAL and HARD. WARE MERCHANTS. Wholesale 23, state :- China. - About 3,000 packageswere offered at auction this week, but only and Retail Ironmongers, Pig Iron and Foundry Coke Importers. General Storea small proportion found buyers as the keepers and Shipchendlers Nos. 35 and 37. Hing Loong Street, (2nd Street, week bidding generally was not up to Importers' ideas of value. In the private market of Central Market) Telephone No. 515. there has been rather more business doing, principally in very attractive Moning Congous at 5d. @ 61d. per lb; fine Keemuns at 8d. @ 11d. per lb., and Ichangs at 7d. @ 9d. per lb. A few black leafs are still available at 4d. @ 4hd. per to European officials and merchants in this

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By Order of the Court of Directors. N. J. STABB,

Hongkong, February-5, 1913.

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

THE SIXTEENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building. No. 6. Connaught Road. on FRIDAY, 21st February, 1913, at 11.30 A.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1912, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 17th February, 1913, until FRIDAY, the 21st February, 1913, both days inclusive. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 12, 1913.

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the ordinary population in normal times

and one reads of frequent tobberies within

the borders of the county. News has just

come to hand of an attack that has been

made upon the Yamen, which has been

burnt to the ground. There is not much

published side by side with this states that

these things have all been burnt and

that about seven thousand dollars worth of

valuables of one sort and another have

been stolen. It would seem, if this were

so, that robbery were the object of the

attack, and the robbers tried to get their

booty at the expense of the building and

all that it contained. At any rate there

seems no doubt that the building has been

A BATCH OF EXECUTIONS.

the New Year by executing a batch of

those whom they managed to impose upou.

One or two were found guilty of receiving

bribes, which now-a-days is frowned down

dignity of officials under the new regime.

Others had been blackmailing their victims,

and in other ways trying to enrich them -.

tunate persons have been guilty of offences,

or longer duration; in China still, however,

and so put them, out of the way of doing

any further harm. The strange thing is

that as soon as one lot is removed another

is waiting by to continue these crimes,

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The last of the old horse buses of Paris

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We see that the officials have commenced

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ROLD BARBAMME

KWANGTUNG NEWS.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CHANGING TIMES.

It used to be the rule that at Chinese New Year, when the first copy of the year of the daily newspaper was printed, that it should be printed on red paper. When one looked at it and tried to read it the outlook was much as if one were looking at the blazing sun, and trying to see the 618 . spots" therein. But things have changed. detailed news available. One cannot find It is true that there has not been a com- out why it was done. Indeed, there is a plete break with the past. I see this discrepancy in the two telegrams sent, one morning that this year, the editor has con- state that official documents, such as books, tented himself with inserting one brief | files, deeds, stamps, and notes have been sheet, which contains his congratulations to the "several noble gentlemen" who will be hise readers during the coming months, if he is able to get them supplied with interesting matter, and if further he manages to keep out of the clutches of the local police, so that he can keep his office open till the end. The body on the paper is on the usual white cheap paper. One is glad to see this, for the old rule of red paper was foolish, and very inconvenient. It seemed to me to have nothing to commend it but usage, and much to condemn

SEVERAL FIRES IN CANTON.

New Year's tide is the time of fires in the city of Canton from time immemorial, seven criminals. It does not appear that Chief Manager. | and those who have lived long there are 173 accustomed to look out for them. If there was not the usual crop, something abnormamight be looked for. This year has been no exception. We have a list of six before us, though, thanks to the better appliances of to-day, it is very unusual for these-fires to get out of hand as that one did, which broke out in Canton about a quarter ago. In one of these fires unfortunately the owner of the shop was burnt to death. He was asleep in a loft over the shop, and as the fire broke out below, and the way escape was cut off. In another case a widow was robbed of four hundred dollars by some robbers, who, on such occasion, are always on the look out for by sundry imprisonments of shorter booty. Except for these two instances there was no great amount of damage done. for the neighbours and the firemen managed to confine each fire in each case to the particular shop, wherein it was first dis-209 covered.

THE ANTI-OPIUM CRUSADE.

While certain opium-smokers have been arrested and shot, and many others have been arrested and fined very heavily, the authorities at Peking have been issuing orders that more attention be paid to the illicit selling of pills, and other kinds of opium, that are being sold by various people to many customers. It is pointed out that the results of using these things is just as deleterious as is the habit of smoking and, therefore, it is the business of the police to look into this matter with the same diligence as into the question of smoking, and to avail themseves of the arm of the law to uproof is altogether. One thing seems clear, what ever treaties may say, the rulers of young China are determined to put a stop to the use of drug in all its forms, and one can see no reason to condemn them for attempting to

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was to perform its final journey at mid night on January 11 from Saint Sulpice to La Villette. One of the Paris sporting papers organised a procession to conduct the bus on its last journey, and called upon motorists to be present in as large numbers as as they could muster. Motorcar owners were requested to send or bring wreaths, as it was desired that the funeral cortege should be as attractive as possible. All the motor horns, hooters, and fanfares in the procession were to be sounded simultaneously and at regular intervals, and an extra long and loud performance was to be given when the bus had reached its destination.

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FRIDAY, 21st February: THE WOMAN IN THE CASE. SATURDAY, 22nd February;

THE GLAD EYE. selves by unlawful means. One had been MONDAY, 24th February: WHAT EVERY WOMAN KNOWS seen, therefore, that most of these unfor- TUESDAY, 25th February:

CHARLEY'S AUNT. which, in other lands, would be atoned for WEDNESDAY, 26th February: BELLA DONNA

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SCOTTISH SPORT. (From Our Own Correspondent.)

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SCOTTINE TEAM AGAINST WALKS. At the close of an International Trial Match between "Scotland" and "The Rest," the Committee of the Scottish Rugby Union chose the following to play against Wales on February 1:-W. M. Dickson (Oxford University); W.

Stewart (London Hospital), R. E. Gxdon (Royal Artillery), A. W. Angus (Watsonians), and another; J. H. Bruce Lockhart (London Scottish) and E. Milroy (Watsonians); F. H. Turner (Liverp xd), captain, C. H. Abererombie, L. Robertson, and C. M. Usher (London Scottish), D. M. Bain (Oxford University), D. D. Howie (Kirkoaldy), P. C. Bluir (Cambridge University), and J. M. B. Scott (Edinburgh Academicals). Only A. Gunn has gone out from the back division which played against France at Paris, assuming that W. R. Sutherland will fill the vacancy in the three-quarter line. There are two new forwards, J. M. B. Scott and L. Robertson, and the latter was chosen to play at Paris, but could not go owing to an injury. They will take the places of G. A. Ledingham and J. B. M'Dougall, neither of whom played in the trial, though asked to do so. There is only one man in the side new to International honours, and that is Lockhart. Though educated at Sed

herg and Cambridge University, he has a close connection with Edinburgh; his tather played for the Royal High School F.P.'s, and sat on the Scottish Football Union Committee. Lockhart is an Rugby "blue" of Cambridge, and has also played cricket for that University. There are no great surprises in the se'ec tion. If J. C. Will has recovered in time from his knee injury, he may be called upon to fill the three-quarter vacancy. The side all over looks a strong one, and should the forwards scrimmage well and get the ball, the backs seem good enough

RUGBY RESULTS. Scotland, 15; Rest, 6.

to get tries.

Glas, Academicals, 22; Edin. Wanderess, 0. Kilvinsido Academicals, 12; Ayr. 0. Clydesdale, 0; Greenock Wanderers, 0. Edin. Univ., 15; West of Scotland, 3. Glas. Univ., 9; Hillhead F.P., 0. Glass. H.S., F.P., 9; Melrose, 3. Gala, 0; Langhom, 0.

Dollar, 11; Glas. Academy, 0. Watson's, 19; Glas. H.S., 5.

The feature of League football was the dress. defeat of Celtic by Hibernian. Ill luck has dogged the Glasgow men in their engagements with their Edinburgh col leagues." Early in the season, Hibernian were soldom in the game, but managed to share the points through the Celtic goal-keeper putting the ball into his own goal; and on the return match the Hibernian were again outclassed and outplayed, but by a mistake on the port of the opposing custodian got full paints. The result is well received, as it makes the Championship a more open question. Celtic still lead with 37 points in 24 games: Rangers and Folkirk have 83 and 30 points respectively with one game less. The draw between Clyde and Rangers was due to a somewhat unusual circumstance: the lines were remarked at" the interval, but after playing 25 minutes the referee stopped play because the lines had again become obliterated. Dundee had their first win away from home; Queen's Park losing mainly because of poor, goal-keeping. Morton and Revenue Fire branch...... 2,567,158 Falkirk, after a strenuous fight, only shared points. Partick Thistle should goal from St. Mirren. The same may be said of Heart of Mid-Lothian; though 'their draw at Kirkealdy is an advince on last season. Aberdeen and Kilmarnock were seen at their best on their own grounds, where recently both have per-

formed very indifferently. SCOTTISH LEAGUE-FIRST DIVISION. Clyde, 0; Rangers, 0. Dundee, 8; Queen's Park, 1. Partick Thistle, 2; St. Mirren, 1. Hibernian, 1; Coltic, 0. Aberdeen, 4; Airdriconisms, L. Motherwell, O; Third Lanark, O. Raith Rovers, 8; Heart of Mid-Lothian,

Kilmarnock, 1; Hamilton Academicals,

Morton, 1; Falkirk, 1. SECOND DIVISION.

St. Bernard, 1; St. Johnstone, 0. Leith, 2; Dumbarton, 2. Abercorn, 2; Johnstone, 0. Albion Rovers, 2; Dunigrmline Athle-

East Stirlingsbire, 4; Arthurlie, 2, Valo of Leven, 3; Cowdenbeath, 0. Dundee Hibernian, 1; Ayr United, 0,-

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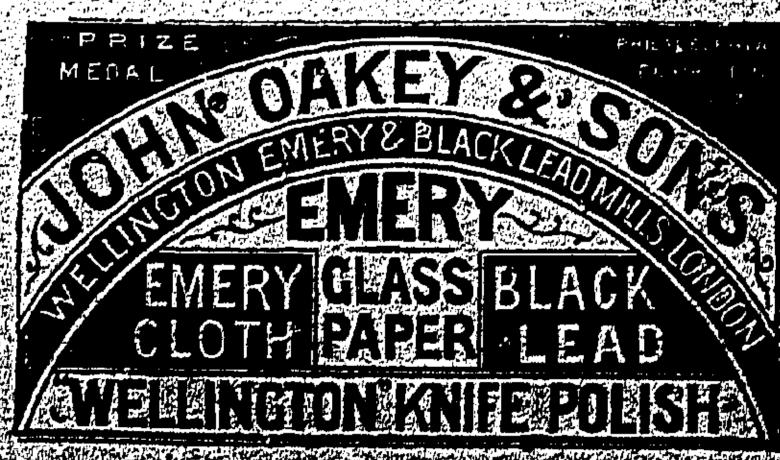
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"TURANDOT" AT THE ST.

the playgoor and, it may be, a little disappointment, too, for while Sir George Alexander has given us something unusual, the popular sotor himself takes no part in the performance, although the jejune humours of the author do no at least, of the accomplished manager is seen in the taste and style in which the new piece, "Turandot, Princoss of China," was presentd isst night. The play, which is derived by Mr. Jethro Bithell from the German of Herr Vellmoches, is professedly founded upon primitive Italian "commodia dell' arte, which was, in turn, suggested by an Oriental legend. As the French philologist said of the derivation of the word " jour." from the Latin " dies "--" g'est disblement change en route."

In the very beautiful production of the

piece at the St. James's the method of the German Professor Beinhardt may be said to have been carried to perfection. Every detail of the scene is considered, and, in accordance with the new ides. the work of the "producer" serms to be more considered than the play or the acting. The lovely drop-curtain, with the fanciful, grotesque designs of dragons and other formidable creatures; the procesa romantic figure. If we do not disco of mandarine, warriors, doctors, anything of Astrakan in him there i priests, and we know not what besides, sense of the ideal in his not too eloqu moving always to quaint illustrative expressions of love for the distant P. music; these things constitute the better part of the entertainment. For the plot of the play is curiously destitute of dramatic excitement, and the language in which the very simple story is written is lacking in the qualities of distinction and imagination. So much so, indeed. that one would say that the author-who is not unknown, we believe, in the world of scholarship—seems to have fashioned. himself, in turning his attention to the stage, upon the humble school of provin- gait is very daintily affected. The cial pantomime rather than upon the masters of literature with which he must be better acquainted. The characters, for the most part, express themselves freely in the current English idiom. Emperot, Ministers, and all, they rarely realise the sense of Chinese character any more in their manner of expressing thomselves than in their deportment There is nothing here of the distinctively Chinese composure and economy of ges-

Yet the eye is delighted at every turn by the wonders of the miss-en-scene. The ear is not so well pleased by the paltry lokes of the comedians, and the interest excited in the imposing crowd which fills the stage seems sometimes perhaps more than a little out of proportion to its real value in the scheme of the play: The besuteous Turandot, Princess of China, has no inclination to marry, but since suitors press about her she makes short work of them by promising to marry any Prince who may find the answers to three messages per wireless, there are Officers of riddles she propounds; or, failing to do the Merchant Service who have now taken so, shall be satisfied to have his head to flying. The London Agent of the on the Gates of Peking in the opening to the Secretary of that body of two Dondard scene; and yet another is just about to Officers of the Royal Naval Reserve who be added to the number, for the play have entered the Royal Naval Flying begins with preparations for the execu- School and have recently been successful tion of an unfortunate young Prince, who in passing their first tests. One is Lieut. TRUBNISHED - Immediate possession Give him the Princess, or give him death! and it is understood that both of them d'Ibervi 67 He refuses to listen to the voice of reason, have done very well. They are at present TROM February 1st, 1913, 1st Floor, 25, Des Vœux Road Central, Hongkong, at present occupied by Messrs of them is disguished for a moment under is heavy robes and unfamiliar make-up. But the Prince, who is of an imposing beight and noble carriage, is not to be turned from his purpose by any fear of CHOP with Godown attached, NATHAR being "a head shorter " or any jests that sort; and the riddles are duly put Kowloon Marine Lot No. 48 with wharf to him by the Princess when he appears HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE before the Court, and she rages furiously when he guesses them one after the other. | upon his ninetieth year recently at Broad-Certainly she does not play the game fairly (as the Emperor of China might say) by refusing, when she loses, to comply with the terms of the edict. Prince, however, very gallantly offers her another chance. He is willing, so to say, to wager his head against her hand 2. WEST END TERRACE, SHAMPEN. that she cannot guess his name. Then we have another scene of the order by UNFURNISHED a House at the Peak. guessing, with all the Court again assembled, and the ungentle Princess, who has THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST been at no small pains to find out his name, guesses right first time. But she is now in a less intractable mood, and,

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satisfied to claim his hand and heart. A simple tale of this sort affords bu small chance of distinction to anybod but the here and hereine of the storythe "producer," of course, always an cepted. Yet the performance is in a wa interceting, and it is always a pleasur to watch the crowd, in their queer co tumes, marching or tripping on and c or grouping themselves in exquisite ha monies of composition and colour. Th always come off, and when we have actor of the quality of Mr. Norms Forbes down on all fours and crawlin under a couch, his complaint at findir himself in such a position seems to ha a personal application which is not i tended. Again, the very name of Pant lone, which is given to the Chinese Mini ter represented by Mr. Edward Sass, m. explain; it it cannot always excuse, certain freedom of speech more read scoorded to the Chinaman of music comedy. Miss Hilda Moore, as a Turt Princons, who has become a slaye Turandot, may even be forgiven for a seeming to remember that she is su posed to be in China when she thro herself with such fervour into the scene in which she carries sway the hou by sheer force of acting, and Miss Ma O'Neil, as another slave, also makes his with a playful bit of acting in a sec with the Prince. As Calai, Prince Astrokan, Mr. Godfrey Teorle prose

cess. It is a fine performance. Miss Evelyn D'Alroy succeeds a gr deal better than any other member the company in concealing her own ic tity in a Chinese character, and it is in Turandot's too tempestuous express of temper that her performance call any way for modification. She more Chinese than the rest; she is perious, stately, lithe; and her min and even the voice of the actress are at once so recognisable as is gene the case and Miss D'Alroy by the grace of her delivery gives a pretty touch of poetry to the prosaic lines which form an epilogue to the play. The performers last night began Chinese fashion at an early hour, and the audience, which was seated in every part by seven o'clock, when the curtain rose, left in good humour, before it struck ten.

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FLYING AND THE MERCHANT SERVICE.

It is interesting to learn that Merchant Service Officers having thoroughly mastered the art of officient signalling by night as well as day, both by means of the Morse Code and otherwise, whilst a number of them are now able to receive and send out We see a row of heads impaled Imperial Merchant Service Guild reports Peiho is no sooner executed than his place as F. W. Bowhill, R. N. R., and the other a suitor is taken by Calaf, Prince of Lieut. A. W. Bigsworth, R. N. R. These * Styr Astrakan, who becomes straightway are the only two Officers in the merchant enamoured of the lovely, cruel Princess. service that, so far, have gone in for flying. raised in turn by Mr. J. H. Barnes, as at the Central Flying School, Upavon, the distracted father of the implacable Wilts, where they will shortly undergo Princess, and his comic Ministers, re- their final tests. Mr. Bowhill-who is a presented by such finished comedians as member of the Guild-was unfortunate Mr. Edward Sass, Mr. Norman Forbes, enough to have a somewhat nesty spill on and Mr. Fred Lewis, and other members his first flight migjudging his distance on of the picked company at the St. James's, landing and being thrown out of his who find, for the nonce, so little character | machine some considerable distance. Howin their respective parts that it cannot ever he was lucky enough to escape with a be said that the individuality of any one severe shaking only, but his machine was badly damaged. Despite this set-back, he immediately afterwards went up in another

DR. RUSSEL WALLACE AT 89.

Dr Russel Wallace, the distinguished scientist and co-discoverer with Darwin of Tiger the theory of natural selection, entered stone, Dornet. He has written much on Vater. evolution, biology, and geology, and now, at eighty-nine, he is beginning another work Calab on the campaign against poverty.

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15 P.M. PIOTURES ONLY 7,18 P.M.

Lange.-On February 7, at Lungchow, the wife of E. G. LEBAS, Chinese Customs, Road, to Mr and Mrs Thos. J. ROCHE, Peter's Church, Berkhamsted, by the Rev. buco, Brazil, son of Major T. F. Cooper, R A., Gibraltar, to BERTHA MURRAY, daughter of the late R. D. Watt, and of Moore-Morron. On February 5, H.M. Consulate-Ge eral by Sir E. D. Fraser, K.C.M G., British Consul-Genera and afterwards at the residence of Mr and Mrs.C Merrison, at 7 Yu Yuen Road, by Rev. A. D. Rice of Haichow, (American Presbyterian Mission), William Moone, of the Shanghai Mudicipal Police, and ESTHER H. Morton (late) American Presbyterian

were conquered three centuries later

Mission, daughter of Mr Andrew Morton, of Belfast, Ireland. MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW. Anniversary of election of Yuan Shi Ka as President of the Republic of China. 9 p.m.—Boxing Tournament at the City

General Memoranda.

BIRTHS.

MARRIAGES.

Mrs Watt, Berkhamsted, Herts.

Monday, February 17:-5.30 p.m.—Organ Recital at St. John's Cathedral.

THURSDAY, February 20:—
Birthday of the Princess Royal (1867). Comedy Co. at Theatre Royal.

FRIDAY, February 21:--11.30 s.m. - China Provident Loan and Mortgage Co. Meeting. 9.15 p.m.—'The Woman in the Case ' by

Dallas Comedy Co. at Theatre Royal. SATURDAY, February 22 :-Half-yearly Meeting.

9.15 p.m.— The Glad Eye by Dallas Comedy Co. at Theatre Royal. Monday, February 24 :--Hongkong Race Meeting-1st Day.

Tuesnay, February 25 :- Hongrong Race Meeting-2nd Day. WEDNESDAY, February 26:-Hongkong Race Meeting -3rd Day.

SATURDAY. March 1:-St. David's Day, o Welsh Dinner at Hongkong Hotel.

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Hongroug, Friday, Frenchet 14, 1913.

THE MEXICAN REVOLT.

ONCE more Mexico is in the "lime" light," as a section of our American friends would say. Seldom indeed is Mexico inconspicuous in the eyes of the world, for if the Mexicans in or about Mexico City are not endeavouring to prevent some aspiring individual from ascending the proud position of President, they are forcibly chasing outside interference would be easily one from that position. Extraordinthe Mexican Republic; and more than ever does it appear to be becoming a hotbed of revolt and bloodshed. During the past half dozen years there appears to have been as many insurrections of a more or less serious nature as there are towns in the

It is therefore of particular interest at present to refer, if only briefly, to the fact that brothren of the craft were the sum of \$1,000 for each defendant. the history of this remarkable country. From a reliable source, we learn that this country, which occupies the southern portion of the North American Continent, had as its "earliest invaders," people known as Tolecs who, in the thirteenth century, gave place to the Azects. They, in turn, For Buln by all Chamiete and Slore-

by Spanish adventurers under the renowned Hernan Cortes. "Spanish rule was established at Tenochtitlen, lottery a fourteenth century Aztec city now known as Mexico City. Mexico remained a Spanish dominion until its the Republic of China. ary war which appears to have begun in 1810 and continued till 1827. We are not quite sure if it ever was nctually completed, for since then insurrections of a more or less serious nature have been the rule rather than the exception. From 1837 until 1848 -which latter year was pretty lively the world over—the province of Texas gave rise to hostilities with the United States, terminating in a three years' war and a cession of the disputed territory to the victorious northern States. In 1810 a Republic was proclaimed, but Iturbide declared himself Emperor in 1821. He was shot in 1824, and a Republic was ngain established. In 1862 the French troops came to Mexico, and in 1864 an Empire under Ferdinand Maximilian of Austria was declared. Roche.-On February 7, at Haskell In 1867 the downfall of the Empire and the death of the Emperor gave Cooper.Watt.-On January 25, at St. | sident Juarez, who, during the whole R. Hart-Davies, A. G. Coopen, Pernam- of these three years, had the sent of the Republican Government in the ing mountings she is 176 ft. long, and has north of the country chiefly at Chihuahua. So, it will be seen that the Mexican Republic has had a lot of vicissitudes during the past half century. At present the Government Constitution resting on the fundamental law of February 5, 1857, with subsequent amendments. From 1876 until 1911 (with the exception of four venrs-1880-1884-when General Manuel Gonzalez was President) the executive was in the hands of Gerleral Porficio Diaz, who was elected President for eight successive terms of six years. In 1911, as all will remember, a revolutionary war led to considerable number of friends. the resignation of General Diaz and the accession of President Madero. Since then the President has occupied 9.15 p.m. -- Baby Mine by Dallas his not very enviable position with more or less little troubles to keep up the reputation, possibly, as a place of perpetual pandemonium. At present, Noon Hongkong and Shanghai Bank President Diaz is attempting a little coup of his own. At first it seemed that everything was in favour of himself and his fellow rebels, but the President appears to have quickly recovered his surprise and has returned to the Palace. Meantime, General Diaz is very fortunately (though unfortunately for the City) situated at the Arsenal. Between the President's Palace and the Arsenal there is at present proceeding one of the most atrocious fights that has been witnessed in a civilized community for

many a day. In Mexico City, whose population in 1910 was 470,659, cannon, doubtless large and small, are being used in an engagement whose fighting area ought to be considered in yards rather than miles. Some of the shots, Reuter states, are travelling at least two miles—and these are being aimed at a building (the Palace) some dozen yards away. The whole whole proceeding is barbarous in the extreme, as it cannot possibly prevent serious injury to life and limb. In fact, the insurrection is of such

nature, and the danger to the propulation of the City is so great, that justifiable; and it is hoped that, if ary in more than one respect seems the atrocity continues, the United States will assert herself in no

> the installation of a Masonic Ledge at something of the kind. Many years ago in an action in the Suprame Court. an attempt was made to start a Lodge, The case was committed for trial, to not sufficiently strong in number and

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

A Staffordshire miner, named Bellingham, has won £48,000 in a Hungarian

. To-morrow is the anniversary of the election of Yuan Shi Kai as President of

The s.s. "Keenigen Luise" has arrived from Bremerhaven with 1,266 German troops, most of them for Tsingtau.

The Malaysia Rubber Company has sold forward two tons monthly, from January to June, of their first crope at 4s.

The London bakers are agitating for more wages and fewer hours. If their demands are not met they threaten to strike on Good Friday.

About one hundred and fifty Chinese appeared before Mr! Hazeland at the Magistracy in answer to summonses by Inspector Dymond charging them with cracker firing during prohibited hours. Various small fines were imposed.

Mr. Hazeland, at the Magistracy today, fined a Chinese contractor \$7. fourteen days' imprisonment for failing to exhi it a light at night time over excava tions which he was making at the junction of Connaught Road and Southern Street.

The largest submarine yet built for the rise to the new Republic, under Pre- Navy, the E4, has arrived at Portsmouth from Mesars Vickers' works at Barrow. Carrying as the principal feature of her design two 12 pounder guns on disappear a surface tonnage of 700.

The Chinese masters of the steam hunches Kwong Hoi and Lai Fat were summoned at the Marine Court this morning for failing to observe the rule of the road while steaming in the harbour. is that of a Federal Republic, the Lance-Sergt. Thompson, of the Water Police, stated that both launches crossed the bows of the police launch and he had to go astern to avoid collision. Defendant were each fined \$15.

> Attention is called to an advertisenent appearing in our advertising columns in connection with the sale work at Union Church. The ladies the congregation have been indefatigable I in their efforts towards making the Sale a success, and it is hoped that the 'Penny Show" and "Concert" held conjunction with the Sale will attract

A case of kidnapping which had been heard by Mr. Melbourne yesterday and remanded was again mentioned to-day. The defendant was charged with taking his illegitimate son away from its mother. Mr. R. C. Faithfull defended, and argued that the father had full right to take the child. At th as will be observed from our tele- Magistracy to-day Inspector Watt withgraphic news, the nephew of the late | drew the charge, and the case was dis-

> The R. A. Officers who left Hongkong by the Transport "Rohilla" are announced to have been appointed to home units at the following stations: - Captain W. Loring to 41st Company, Plymouth; Captain G. T. Brierley, D.S.O. to 42ad Company, Portsmouth; Captain G. A. Guthrie, to Seaforth Lieut. D. S. Dodgson, 'to 16 Company Weymouth; Lieut. F. B. Hitcheook, 30th Company, Weymouth; Lieut. C. H. mouth; and Lieut. G. P. Shedden, to 35th Heavy Battery, Fareham.

> The report of the Royal Mint for the activity, says the L. and C. Express. The increase, and in value the coinage exhibits an increase of nearly 34 millions sheeling. Sovereigns (£33,248,742) numbered 200,000 more than in 1911. The actual number of ceins struck was 171,115,818, an increase of over 25,000,000. We may also note that year amounted to £9,089,543, an increase of £691,749 over 1911, and the highest sex

CRIMINAL LIBEL CASE.

At the Magistracy this afternoon a case was opened in which two Parsee gentlemen named F. K. Tata and J. N. Ollia are charged with maliciously publishing defamatory libel concerning M. J. Petel and B. N. Talati.

Mr Eldon Potter, instructed by Mr G. K. Hall Brutton, appeared to prosecute, and Mr Marcus Siade, K.C., in structed by Mr Lewis, of Mesers Johnson, Stokes and Master, defended.

According to Mr Potter's opening statement, the libel complained of was contained swatow under E.C. constitution. The in a letter sent by the defendants to Mr nows will be hailed with pleasure by Patell returning a cheque for \$8 0 which a large section of the shipping com- the defendants alleged was given to them munity who have long felt the want of in cash to give evidence on Patell's behalf

but the project fell through owing to Criminal Sessions, ball being allowed in

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. Brangwin, of Swatow, who on holiday, is a passenger to-day by s.s. Devanha for Shanghai.

The engagement is announced of Mr A. D. Blackburn, of H. B. M.'s Legation, Peking, to Miss Isabelle Piry.

Mr H. J. Harding, of H.B.M's. Consular Service, has arrived in Peking to join the Chinese Secretarist of the British Legation. Mr. A. D. Blackburn is to be transferred to Foodhow and will leave for his new post

AN INTERESTING JUDGMENT.

A Purely Local Act.

In the Summary Court this morning Mr. Justice Gompertz gave judgment in the ease in which A. M. Gomes is defendant, the claim against him being for \$50. The plaintiff is an Indian.

His Lordship said the question in the gase was one of law, whother a pramissory note made in the Colony was void. The objection was taken under Act 7 of George the Fourth, cap. 6. He was of opinion that this Act did not apply in Hongkong and was not made applicable by the very general wording of the Supreme Court Ordinance, 1873. If the history of this Act were traced it would he found that there were a number of statutes, of which that was the final one, and the whole matter turned upon the restriction of each payments by the Bank of England. They were meant to have merely local application and were not applicable in any other place or country. He therefore thought that the Act had no application in this Colony, and judgment must be for the plaintiff with costs.

A COMPANY'S APPLICATION.

VARYING THE SHARES.

In the Supreme Court this morning Mr. Justice Compertz heard a petition made by the directors of the Manchurian Stud Improvement Co., Ltd., for a formal order of the Court confirming special resolutions passed by the shareholders for the reorganisation of its capital.

The application was made by Mr. C. G. Alabaster, (instructed by Mr. D. Stephenson, who said that the capital of the company was Yen 150,000 divided into 300 shares of Yen 500 each. It was desired to alter the amount of the shares to Yeu 100 each as it was thought that this would facilitate the issue of a bundred shares which remained and which it was desired to issue. The capital of the company would be unchanged and nobody would be prejudiced. The company was registered in the Colony and carried on business

His Lordship asked if the shares already issued would be split up and fresh scrip issued, and was informed that this was the

His Lordship made the formal order

NEW IDEAS OF "SHYLOCK."

In the Y.M.C.A. Rooms last night Mr. James Young, of Baltimore, gave some new ideas of Shylock, who is generally believed to be-and not without very convincing reasons—one of the most detestable characters in the whole gallery of Shakespeare's creations. Mr. Young modestly stated that he would "attempt Reynolds, to 39th Siege Company, Ply- to show that Shylock was not the vile person he is by most people believed to be. The "attempt" was praiseworthy for it is good to give full-credit for the best in even those who may really be very bad. It must be said, however, past year is a reflection of the general trade | that Mr. Young's " whitewashing " was, from a critical standpoint, a sorry piece total number of coins struck shows a large of work. He attempted the impossible and; of course, failed. There was not one of the ingenious ideas that the lecturer brought forward but could have been refuted with ease by anyone having especially due to Sir Paul Chater for his even the slightest knowledge of the play efforts in personally raising the greater and the character in question. The lecthe recorded dealings in real estate last turer, who it was stated, had at one time acted in the late Sir Henry Irving's company-and who certainly gave evi dence of not a little of the talent necessary for the stage-said that he had been led to re-consider the character of Shy lock by hearing an old lady in a theatre sobbingly say of the Jow " Poor old man he's been robbed!" If Mr. Young cares to take a hint, he will drop "at tempting" to make black appear white and, instead, give from the great dramatist's plays selections in character-s, role in which he will be much more acceptable and for which he is well qualified. Boy. G. Wells, who presided, expressed Hon. Mr H. E. Pollock, K.C.

EOSCIUS.

LLLEGED UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF COCAINE,

At the Magistracy this afternoon the adjourned case was heard by Mr. Hazeland in which a Chinese is charged with J. W. Noble, Esq." ... being in unlawful possession of five hundrad ounces of cocsine.

Mr. P. M. Hodgson, Assistant Crown | Dr. Francia Clark ... Solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr. Eldon O. W. Dickson, Esq. ... Potter, instructed by Mr. Lewis, of W. G. Humphreys, Esq. Messrs. Johnston, Stokes and Master, F. O. Macdonald, Esq. D. K. Moss, Esq ... defended.

The cocaine was imported to the John Hastings, Esq. (£1 1s. Od.... Colony on the s.s. Bellorophon, and was seized in godowns by Rovenue Officer Wilden. The cocaine was contained in balna of nowspapers, which had been consigned to Yokohama.

The case was further adjourned.

TRAINING NOTES.

There was a very poor attendance at the valley this morning, including His Excellency the Governor. The grass course was open with bamboos "half" up. Near the rail the going was heavy but outside the turi was dry, but not springy. There was no dew last night. Most of the ponios were trotted and given a quarter, preparatory to galloping to-morrow, when a heavy morning's work is anticipated...

Br. Bryson, o Cooper, h Stanley A few gallops were done this marning.

and the times taken were:-Durbar Chief, half-mile, 31.4, 31-

Mahratta Chief, half-mile, 85, 30.3-Fijian Chief and Borneo Chief, half-

mile, 33, 30.2-1.03.2. Sweet Rocket, half-mile, last quarter Sweet Sultan, one mile, 38.1, 1.11.1,

1.44.1, 2.17.4; last quarter 83.3. Royal Rose, one mile, 38, 1.11, 1.48.3, 2.10.1; last quarter 32.8. CHING.

EUROPEAN CONSTABLE BUM-MONED.

Alleged Assault at Kowloon.

At the Magistracy to-day before Mr. Hazeland European Constable McAulay, No. 112, was summoned by a Chinese for

Defendant pleaded not guilty. Complainant, whose face was badly battered and plastered, alleged"that the constable met him in a lane off Nathan

Road, Kowleon, and struck him on the jaw, between the eyes, and in the mouth with his truncheon. He broke the truncheon, so hard were the blows. Witness did not know why he was struck by the constable, who was in uniform. He reported the matter at the Police Station. The defendant gave evidence, and in explanation of the affair said that on the evening in question—about 5.30—he was called from Nathan Road to the ground floor of Mrs. Gains' house, who com- Kowloon plained of her boy (the complainant) refusing to do as he was told. She also Staff & Departments 10 said that he had snatched some keys out of her hand. Witness asked her if he R.E. should speak to the boy, and she took [H. S. Police 10 him to the back yard where the com- 3 points for a win and I point for a draw. plainant was. When the complainant eaw him he made a rush to get past him through the gateway. Witness caught complainant then tried to kick him, so went to strike him, he put his arm up, and witness accidentally cut him above

the eye. Witness only struck one blow. by a European constable with his baton. Ie had a slight cut on the bridge of th

nose. He had no other marks. Mr. Hazeland: The summons will be dismissed. I'do not think the stable used any more violence than w absolutely necessary.

SAINT JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

We have been asked to state that Dr. Francis Clarke, Hon. Treasurer of St. John's Cathedral, desires to acknowledge, with grateful thanks, the receipt of the following contributions to the Cathedral Endowment Fund. It has been agreed that the salary of an Assistant Chaplain shall be a first charge on the interest secruing-from this fund, and as this will not at present exceed some \$750 per annum, further contributions are carnestly desired in order that the Church Body may be in a position to secure the entire services of a second Chaplain, for whom there is ample works

The thanks of the community are part of this fund.

H.E. Sir Henry May

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' (Abcent-not yet paid.) The account also shows interest to the amount of \$52.44.

A. D. Rouse, Esq.

SPORT.

Cricket.

88TH CO., R.G.A. v. 83RD Co., R.G.A. There was a sensational finish in this R. A. Cup-Tie game at Happy Valley yesterday. With the last ball of the match being bowled, the 88th Co. required two runs to win but only one was scored and the result was a draw, the scores being level and the 88th Co. having two wickets to fall. The scores were :---

SSED CO. B.G.A.

Gr. Wright, c Pym, b Stanley Gr. Bomford, b Christian Gr. Wetherall, b Payne. Gr. Colmer, hit wicket, b Stanley Cpl. Rossitter, b Payne. Gr. Pharro, c Payne, b Berry Cpl. Coc, not out Gr. Wooldridge, c Pym, b Christian Br. Allard, b Christian	100 100 100 100 100	614611139
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Hongkong Cricket League. The positions of the table up to 13th

inst. is as follows :-Civil Service R.G.A.

Association Football.

him by the arm to get him back. The Hongkong Club (A). v. H.M.S. Rozerto. These teams met on the Club ground witness drew his truncheon, and as he yesterday, the Club having the services of saveral of their first team players. The sailors proved the better team but could not score in the first half. In the second Police Sergt. Caygill deposed to seeing | half, Lyons quickly gave the sailors the the complainant in the charge-room and lead, and despite grand defensive play by he complained of having been assaulted Stalker, Toovey had a simple task to add another from a centre by Lyons. Just before the close Tutton struck the bar with a hot shot and from the rebound, Toovey headed the third and last goal. Stalker played finely for the Club throughout and was easily the best defender on the field, but forward, with the exception of Larkins and Railton, the Club were very weak, so that much good work by Long at half was wasted. The sailors were an evenly balanced team and deserved their win. Result :-H.M.S. Rosario 3, Hongkong Club (A) 0.

H.M.S. FLORA. r. H.M.S. WELLAND. 'On" the Naval ground yesterday the Welland were no match for the Flora, who scored by means of Grady 2, and Hulls, leading at the interval by 3 goals to nil. Play slackened a little in the second half but the Flora added another through Burt and ran out easy winners with the result :-M.S. Flora 4, H.M.S. Welland O.

"Cornwalls" Inter-Company League.

G. COMPANY. v. H. COMPANY. This was the first game on the Military ground yesterday and a fast and even game ensued. Drew early scored for G. Company from a penalty for hands and before the interval Richardson added another. In the second H. Company had most of the game but with numerous chances they failed to score and the result was :---G.

Company 2, H. Company 0.

A. COMPANY U. O. COMPANY. This was the second game on the Military ground yesterday and there was a rare fight for the points. Neither side could manage to score before the interval but in the second moiety Clarke opened the scoring for A Company and this proved the only goal. A fast and even game ended with result :- A. Company 1, C. Company

Billiards.

SOLDIERS CLUB CHALLENGE CUP.

There was a meeting of the representatives of teams to decide the draw for 2:0.00 this years' tournament in the Soldiers" 250.00 Cub last night, Garrison Sergt. Major Hurle presiding. The draw resulted as 150.00 follows :-

First round :-- A-H.K. Vol. Ree. v. 150,00 R.E. (B). : B-83rd Coy B.G.A. y. H.K. 150.00 Police and Warders. Second round :-- C-100,00 | Winners of A. v. 37th Cor R.G.A.; D. 100.00 R.E. (A). v. 88th Coy R.G.A. ; E. Dist 100,00 Btaff R.A. v. H.K. Vols. ; F-Staff and 100.00 Depts. T. Winners of B. Semi-final :-- G 100.00 | Winner of C. v. Winner of D. ; H-Winner 75.00 of E. v. Winner of F. Final :- Winner of 50,00 G. v. Winner of H.

25.00 The first game will be played on blonday 25.0) the 17th instant commencing at 7. p.m. 23.00 In addition to the Cup to he held for one 25.00 year by the winning team, there is a trophy for the player making the highest break during the tournment. We are arranging to have the games reported to our columns. In connection with the above, the Hongkong Yolunteer Corps, who are the holders. \$14,982.18 of the trophy and favourites this year, are kindly presenting a magnificent Silver Cup, to be known as the "Volunteer Challenge Cup" to be competed for annually by the vervice teams entering for the Soldier

Club Challenge Cup.

Bauter's Service to the China Mail.) (Router's Service to the China Mail.

THE ANTARCTIC TRACEDY.

"GALLANTRY NEVER SUR-PASSED."

COMMANDER EVANS' RETURN.

London, Feb. 13. A cable from Christchurch reports the arrival of "the Terra Nova at Lyttleton.

Commander Evans, who was in charge of the vessel, in an interview said that the gallantry of Captain Scott and his companions had never been surpassed. When steering around Cape Evans they arranged to give Captain Scott and his companions an Ovation. They had brought up luxuries and steamed in with colours flying. A large" party on shore cheered. The ship's company responded, but not seeing Captain Scott, Commander Evans shouted, "Are you all well?" He then learned the fate of the party-

The total distance covered by Captain Scott's party to the Pole and back was 1,842 miles, and they should have returned to Hut Point on March 10th, but their last message narrated their misfortunes, which it was impossible to orercome.

RECORDS SAFE.

The Terra Nova brought every record of the Southern party, including the private diaries. These will be handed to the relatives.

Captain Scott kept a daily record until March 24th, and spent his last day in writing a message to the public.

THE BODIES.

back, but all hands agreed that it was business quarter. better to leave them in the white mantle where they worked and died.

COMMANDER EVANS' SILENCE.

Commander Evans was disinclined to speak in connection with the tragic tide of the expedition, and did not allow his fellow officers any latitude in this direction.

MOTOR SLEDGES UNRELIABLE.

.The motor sledges frequently broke

STORY TO BE PUBLISHED.

Commander Evans will complete Captain Scott's story, which will published in book form.

THE "TERRA NOVA'S" CREW.

All on board the Terra Nova look healthy and show no outward signs of the hardships suffered.

MORE AUSTRALIAN FUNDS.

The Adelaide Register has started a Shilling Fund for the dependents of Captain Scott and his comrades, and a Penny Fund for Captain Scott's child, the proceeds of this latter fund to be invested in South Australian bonds the interest paid to Mrs. Scott on the child's birthdays, and the principal being handed to him on his attaining his majority.

"HARROWING DETAILS."

Reuter's Lyttelton correspondent in letter message telegraphs that Commander Evans hoped that the people would not insist upon further information being published, as har. rowing details would do no good, and he desiried to alleviate as far as he gould the distress of the relatives of the gallant men.

The New Zealand High Commissioner has suggested that the Dovernment should utilise the Government steamer Hinemos, if it is decided to send an expedition to recover the explorers' bodies.

> DEATH OF SIG JOHN CARRINGTON.

> > London, Feb. 13.

. The death is announced of Sir John Carrington, formerly Chief Justice of Hongkong.

[Sir John Carrington retired from the Chief Justicuship of Hongkong on April Lat. 1992, and has since enjoyed a pension from the Colony of \$2,437.50 a year He was 66 years old .- ED., C. M.]

TURCO-BALKAN WAR.

MORE HEAVY FIGHTING.

LONDON, Feb. 13. A message from Constantinople reports that a violent cannonade continued all day on Wednesday at Adrianople, and Bulgarian aeroplanes

dropped bombs into the city. AT GALLIPOLI PENINSULA.

details to hand.

THE BATTLE OF BULAIR.

It is officially declared in Constantinople that the Turkish losses at Bulair did not exceed 800. The Bulgarians did not gain an inch and only held their ground by fortifying their positions.

> THE BULGARIAN CON-CESSIONS.

A Bukharest telegram says it is understood that Rulgaria has offered Roumania further concessions on the Black Sea coast and that Roumania has abandoned her claims to Silistria.

THE MEXICAN ATROCITY.

HEAVY GUNS IN USE.

London, Feb. 13. A telegram states that fighting was resumed on Wednesday morning. The rebels fired in the direction of the British Legation, near which a Federal battery was stationed. Heavy guns The bodies could have been brought hurled shell and shrapnel into the

"INHUMAN FIGHTING."

The Diplomatic Body in Mexico have strongly protested to both the invitation. President Madero and General Diaz against the barbarous and inhuman fighting, and have requested them to arrange an armistice.

Both returned evasive replies:

AMERICAN PREPARATIONS.

Reuter's correspondent at Washington telegraphs that the United States Government is sending four Dreadnought cruisers to Vera Cruz, and two cruisers to the Pacific coast. As communication between Washington and the Embassy in Mexico, was interrupted yesterday, the Administration may be compelled to change its policy and send a naval expedition to open up communications.

THE JAPANESE POLITICAL CRISIS.

ADVANCE IN POLITICAL

DUCATION,

LONDON, Feb. 13. Renter's Tekye correspondent telegraphs that Marquis Yamamoto's acceptance of the Ceantion Promiership registers an advance in the political education of the nation and the downfall of the influence of the Elder Statesmen, as well as a diminution of the prestige of the Orown.

MARCONI INQUIRY COMMITTEE.

MR. MAXSE AND THE HOUSE

LONDON, Feb. 12. In the Heuse of Commons the Speaker said he did not desire to act on his own initiative with reference to Mr. J. L. Marse. Mr. Asquith had recommended that no immediate action was required, and after careful nose box, and said he saw one of the consideration it had been decided that the matter should be dropped.

[Note.-In last night's issue of th 'Uhina Mail" it would be seen that Mr. J. L. Maxse, Editor of the " National Review," cross-examined by the Marconi Impairy Committee, refused to name his informents with reference to statements made in the "Nutional Review" regarding the sontract.—En. O. M.1

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SHANGHAI POLICE SCANDAL

SUB-INSPECTOR CONVICTED.

JUDGE'S GRAVE WARNING.

(From Our Own Correspondent). SHANGHAI, Feb. 14. Detective Sub-Inspector Roche has been convicted in the British Supreme Court here on a charge of accepting

He was sentenced to fifteen months'

hard labour. In passing sentence, Sir Havilland Heavy fighting took place in the de Sausmarez remarked that he had Gallipoli peninsula, but there are no received no assurance that this was a solitary instance. He therefore seriously warned the Police Force.

> (Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

> > DR SUN YAT SEN

Tokyo, Feb. 14. Dr. Sun Yat is expected to arrive here to-night. A great reception has been prepared.

JAPANESE OFFICIAL APPOINT-MENT.

Toxyo, Feb. 14. Viscount K. Inoue has been appointed Ambassador at London in succession to Baron Kato.

> THE NEW JAPANESE PREMIER.

ADMIRAL YAMAMOTO NAMED

Toxyo, Feb. 14. It is believed that the Emperor will order Admiral Yamamoto to form the new Cabinet upon the recommendation of the Marquis Daionji. The Admiral has been asked to join the Constitutionalist Party, but as it is contrary to the law for a Naval officer to join a political party while he is on the active list it is expected that he will decline

DAMAGED TREES.

Chinese at Law.

Eight Hundred Dollars Claimed as Damages.

In the Summary Court this afternoon

and Master, appeared for the defendant.

heavy damages were claimed. and he had in court the man who ad-

mitted having done it. His Honour asked what kind of trees those in question were. Mr. Harris said he did not know.

Mr. Jackson: They were the worst kind of trees I have over seen. Mr. Harris retorted that they probably were when Mr. Jackson saw them. Plaintiff wished to make a tea garden on the site and this plan had been seriously interfered with by the loss of the

INDIAN CONSTABLE CHARGED.

The Indian constable who was charged yesterday with stealing \$2 from the pocket of a Chinese in Whitty Street

stable's puggarce. The constable brought the Chinese into the station on another charge. The defendant was put into the wit-

complainant's witnesses in Des Vœux Road West with a basket of fish on the train line. Witness told him to go away. He had cautioned him several times they are called together to do. At by Mr. Melbourne. Witness always kept. his money in his puggarce, and the \$2 was his own money. He could have concoaled or thrown the money away had

he wished to do so. The case was adjourned until to-mir- that it should be done. The expense of route to the goal, by a round about way row morning.

(Reuter's Service to the Ohina Mall.

THE POLAR DISASTER.

FIRST DESPATCHES TO HAND.

INTERESTING DETAILS. LONDON, Feb. 14. The first despatches to reach Christchurch, New Zealand, state that Petty Officer Evans, who was in charge of the sledges and equipment, was the first to die, breaking down from nervous fatigue after reaching the Pole.

The fate of the party was largely due to the fact that Evans had to be assisted most of the return journey, either by being carried on a sledge or assisted by his comrades. while they had to push on, as every ounce of food was consumed before death came to the whole party.

Only a small quantity of tea was found with the bodies. Captain Scott was found sitting with his back to the tent pole. Between his hand and the pole he had placed his diary, apparently with the object of having easier support.

Dr. Wilson, the chief scientist, and Lieut. Bowers, Commisariat Officer, were found lying on their sleeping

KWANGTUNG NEWS.

(From Our Oven Correspondent).

LIGHT SPREADING.

Gradually new ideas are spreading and are exerting their natural influence upou the more thoughtful of the Chinese. Of course vaccination has been practised amongst the native for many years now, and the beneficent results may be known by observing the faces of the Chinese to day, and remembering what was seen thirty or forty years ago. It seems strange to us that there should be those who are unwilling to recognise the advantages of vaccination, when a cursory knowledge of old China and the new would demonstrate, without the shadow of a doubt, that there has come over the people a great change. When we came to China first, we remember being shocked by the number of persons met with every day, in the crowded streets, who were badly disfigured by small-pox. Probably the rememto meet in the streets was more or

brance is somewhat vague, and perhaps exaggerated; but as we look back it would seem as if every tenth person we used less marked by small-pox. To day it is rare indeed that one meets with such cases. The very rariety of cases makes it seem strange. These remarks we did not intend to pen, when we before Mr. Justice Compertz an action commenced, but as they are written they was commenced in which Tam Ho sued may as well stay. We are interested in Lo Chap Shan, claiming \$800 for the knowing that the Chinese officials and the arongful cutting down of a tree and police are deeply concerned about smallwrongful injury to another tree on plain. pox, and as this is the season of the year tiff's land by defendant, his contractors, for the appearance of the scourge amongst agents or workmen in the beginning of the Chinese, the officials have been bringing special pressure upon those who do Mr. Reader Harris, of Messrs. Wilkin- not yet understand matters, to have their son and Grist, represented plaintiff, and children vaccinated. Not only so, but Mr. Jackson, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes | care is taken to explain what vaccination is, and how it is a preventive. On the other Mr. Reader Harris said there was in hand it is explained how small-pox is this case strong evidence of malice if it conveyed from one person to another, and was proved that the tree was cut down at what stage of the disease is deemed most by the defendant. There could not be dangerous to those who have to come into any other motive, and that was why such contact with those who are suffering, than it was under the Manchu regime.

> gratis to all who come. This is a step in advance. THE PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY. The members of the local Assembly have been elected. There seems to be a good deal of criticism affort in regard to the way in which some of the members secured

> been opened and doctors are in waiting at

several offices and vaccination is done

their scats and also as to the abilities some who are now entitled to take their seats as 1 cal legislators. Further, there pared to support the local officials in getting are some complaints as to the lack of things more effectually in hand. enthusiasm of the members. This explained as arising from the fact that the Assembly does not clearly know privileges and prerogatives." In other words, it is not clearly known by anybody was sgain before Mr. Hazeland this what matters are under the control of the Imperial Government, and what has been Mr. R. C. Faithfull appeared for the delegated to the local Assembly. Hence

it is not easy to enthuse men whose In Indian sergeant was called, who powers are somewhat vaguely defined, and deposed to finding the \$2 in the con- whose opportunities for doing something deal of the trade in China is on the credit effective may be curtailed at any moment, and on any occasion. What truth there may be in these criticisms one can hardly say. It is certainly true that such a status is not altogether satisfactory, and those who work under such conditions are not able to feel much onthusiaam for the work before. The man started to run and wit- | first session, which was held on the tenth ness went after him. On catching him H. E. the Governor-General was present' the men said "Let me go or I swill and made a long speech. Of course none aconse you of stealing my money." Wit- of these things were touched upon. He ness said "I have my own mency" and dealt with the condition of affairs as they took some money from his puggaree and obtain to-day throughout the province. showed it to him. Witness had arrested He pointed out that the local Government the man on a previous occasion for hawk- was doing everything possible, with the ing without a licence, and he was fined forces at their disposal, to get things in hand, and, to bring about good governprosit. It was pointed out that the doing It is pointed out, therefore, that more attention should be given to instructing away with the gambling monopoly had rubbed the Government of a considerable the masses of the people and then, though sum of money. Nevertheless it was decided they will not take the shortest possible

carrying on the government is much less they will accept the change.

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Elaborate preparations have been made for. The number of soldiers also is much Mr. Jackson stated that it was denied the convenience of those interested, and smaller, and on the whole the condition of by defendant that he cut down the trees; there can be no excuse on the plea of the country is no worse even if it be no trouble for any of the people. Offices have better. He remarked also that the officials to-day did not receive anything like the salary the Manchus received. These things should be remembered by those who assume the role of critics of the Government. Special attention is to be given to the police regulations, and to the improvement of the army, because these are essential to the well-being of the people and the suppression of brigandage. On the whole it was a frank speech, and the rounds of applaure which followed it showed that the speaker had appealed to the sympathies of the members and that they saw the difficulties of the situation and were pro-

CHINESE NEW YEAR. Why do not the Chinese keep the Official New Year? One of the leading Cauton dailies has set itself to explain in the first two issues of the New Year, why so few of the people have followed the lead of the officials. The first reason assigned is one that we all know and all appreciate, expecially when we have bills to pay and no funds to pay them with. The Chinese have a natural instinct to refrain from paying bills as long as they can. As a good to everybody else, no eno is anxious to hasten on the fatal bills have to be met, and perhaps no funds in kand to discharge them. But apparently this is not all. If the date of the New Year under the Manchus had been distinctly theirs, it would have gone at once like the flag and the quene, and the long robes that they were so fond of. But as a matter of fact the date was the same as that kept by the Ha dynasty thousands of years ago, and so it has come to pass that there are many rites, some of the partially religious, connected with the old New Year, and these the people reluctantly relinquish. Then further the people are covered by ignorance. The officials made the change. The students and the newspapers followed suite, and the army was also compelled to to accept the change. But outside this no serious attempt has been made to enlighten the people, and so they hardly know in the country that any change has been made

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THURSDAY, Capt. C. Mundt. YOKOHAMA. (16,000) 20th Feb. For Havre, Rotterdam, Bremen MANILA, YAP, MARONN, PRINZ SIGISMUND. SATURDAY.

NEWGUINEA, BRISBANE, Capt. D. Lenz. 22nd Feb., SYDNEY & MELBOURNE (6,000); at 9 a.m. PRINZ WALDEMAR, About KOBE & YOKOHAMA...... (8,100) TUESDAY.

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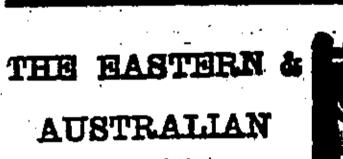
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MAIL SCHEDULE

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GERAMERS'	ARLITE HONGEOUG FROM AUMIRIANA.	IMATE HONGEONS FOR AUSTRALIA,
EMPIRE ALDENHAM ST. ALBANS EASTERN	To-day. March 7. April 4.	March 11th, at 11 a.m. March 12th, at 11 a.m. March 29th, at 11 a.m. April 26th, at 11 a.m.

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Bills of Lading for all Black and Azov Seas Ports with transhipment at Odeses, and for Hakodate and all ports of Tartarian Strait and Kamtchatka, with transhipment at Vladivostok. Cargo for all European Ports not mentioned in the steampra schedule will well by

accepted by this Agency.

The S.S. KOSTROMA, 3505 R.T., Commander Petroff-Tokareff, Outward bound, is expected to arrive in Hongkong about 9th February, 1913. The S.S. YAROSLAV. 4494 R.T., Commander L. Alexelf, Outward bound.

is expected to arrive in Hougkong about the 11th February, 1918. The S.S. VORONES, 5816 B.T., Commander Ocanovsky, Homeward bound. is expected to strive in Hongkong about the 1st March, 1914.

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Notices to Consignees

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS

FROM EUROPE.

THE H. A. L. Steamship Captain H. STERR, having arrived, Con-

their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardons and/or extrahazardous Godowns of the Honghong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Combe Limited, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills-of-Lading countersigned to the Undersigned. Optional Cargo will be carried on this

notice to the contrary be given to-day. All Chaims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Grods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th inch. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goeds must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 19th inch.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by In any case whatever. This steamer brings on Carco: Ex s.s. Kole from Stattin. Ex a.a. Lisbeth from Norrkoping. Ex a.s. Courier from Drammen. Ex s.s. Jelo from Drammen.

Ex a.s. Germania from Goteborg. Ex a.s. Norge from HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINER. Hongkong Office. Houghong, February 13, 1913.

Ex s.s. Adolph Meyer from Götsbang. Ex s.s. Fari from Abus,

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS. FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AMP

STRAITS. THE Co.'s Steamship Miyazaki Mark. having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of cargo are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed and placed so their risk in the Homewown KOWIOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowas at Kowloon, where each consigner delivery can be obtained as soon as the

Goods are landed. Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before NOOM, TO-DAY. Guods not cleared before the 19th Pehraary, will be subject to rent.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consigned's and the Co.'s representatives at an appointed hour. All claims must be persented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they candill be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have last the Godberne :. F NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

Hongkong, February 12, 1913.

NUTIOE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Thongrow having arrived from the above Ports, Consigned of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once at Consignees' risk and

Cargo remaining on board after 1 2.24 of the 13th inst., will be landed at Cougiynees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Undersigned. DAVID SASSOON & Co., Line Hongkong, February 12, 1913.

LINE OF STEAMERS

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AND STRAITS. THE 8.8. Den of Crombie having arrived. from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all-Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or axtra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ld., whence and/or from the

wharves, delivery may be obtained ... Goods not cleared by the 17th Iristant, will be subject to rent. all broken, chafed and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Monday, 17th insta at 9.30 4.24. Claims against the speamer must be presented within 10 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Hongkong, February 19, 1913.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Lange

LINE OF STEAMERS.

- NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL STRAITS,

THE STEAMSHIP ATHOLL

MONSIGNERS of Cargo are hereby informed being landed so their risk into the Godowns of Hole's Whart at Kowloos. whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th inst. will be subject to rent. " All claims against the steamer must by presented to the Undersigned on or before the 8th prox. or they will not be re-

All broken, shaled, and damaged Goods are to he left in the Gr.downs where they will be examined on the 15th inst. ga

No Fire Insurance has been stoched Bills of Lading will be countarnigued by DODWELL & Co., Lan.

Hongkong, February 10, 1918.

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January 24, Moyune, Perseus, Sicilia Glenfarg, Nankin. January 28, Benulder, Indiasaniha, Petho, Welsh Prince. Annum.

January 31. Denbighshire, Kitano Maru, Nera. Nangchow, Sanhsen, Egremont Castle. February 4, Luertes Elleric. February 7, Kermun, Nyanza, Pelcus,

Demodocus, Sumatra, Den of Glamis. February 11, Benarty, Brasilia, Ghazee, Indrani, Nippon, Scandie, Spezia, Schuylkill, Yorck, swasi.

ARRIVALS FROM CHINA. February II. Himalaya, Idomeneus, Myrmidon, Alexia, Stentor, Amazone.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

. Mails. The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Eitel Friedrich carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 22ud January, left Colombo on Sunday, the 9th February, p.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 20th February.

The P. M.S. S. Co.'s s.s. China with the American Mail, sailed from Yokohama for this port, vin Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila on Friday, the 7th February, between 10 a.m. and noon.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Nile with the American Mail, left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, the usual Japan Ports and Manile on Saturday, 8th February.

The O. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Monte sgle arrived at Yokohama at 4 p m. on the 11th February, and left at 3 p.m. on the 12th February for Moji, where she is due to arrive at 9 a.m. on the 14th February.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Manchuria sailed from Yokohama on Tuesday, the 11th February, between 10 a.m. and noon for this port via Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila, is expected to arrive here on Thursday, the 20th Feb. Her Mails have been transferred to the

N.D.L. s.s. Prinz Sigismund. The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Japan arrived at Nagasaki at 8 a.m. on the 13th February, and left again at 2.30 p.m. on the same day for Kobe where she is due to arrive at 5 p.m. on the 14th February.

The B. V. F. s.s. Kostroma sailed from expected to srrive in Hongkong on Fitz-Rey, Miss M. Courtice. the lettle February.

The B. V. F. a.s. Yaroslav sailed from Colombo on the 28th January, and was expected to arrive in Hongkong on the 11th February.

The N. Y. E. s.s. Sanuli Maru (Bombay Line) left Kobe for this port on the 7th February, and is expected here on Barometer ... the 14th February,

The E. & A. steamer Empire from Sydney. Humidity Fr., left Mavila at 7 a.m. on the 12th | Direction of February, and may be expected to arlive here on the 14th February, a.m. The H. A. L. 8.8. Silenia | left Singapore | Weather on the 10th February, p.m., and may Rain

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be expected here on or about the luth

	B. L. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Torilla from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 10th
	February, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 16th Feb., a.m.
The	N. Y. K. s.s. Shidzuoka maru (American Line) left Moji for this port on 4th February, and is expected here on
	the 16th February.

The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Chunsang Yamashita Wanchai.......Singapore. left Sandakan for Hongkong on the 11th February, due Hongkong on the

17th February. The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Kutsang left Calcutta for Hongkong on the 6th February, due Hongkong on the 21st February. The Ben Line steamer Benlomond from

Leith, Middles,' and London, left Singapore on the 8th February, for this port. The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Suivang

left Calcutta for Hongkong on the 9th February, due Hongkong on the 25th February.

The N. D. L. s s. Prinz Waldemar left Sydney on Saturday, the 8th Feb., at II a.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 3rd March.

The Shire Line Ltd.'s s.s. Den of Glamis from London, Passed Canal for Hongon the 8th February, due Hongkong the 10th March

The T. K. K. s.s. Buyo Maru left Callao for Salina Cruz on the 14th January, and is expected to arrive in Hong- 19 BAGS SULPHUR, kong on the 20th March.

The E. & A. steamer St. Albans left Sydney on the 12th February for Manila and this port (via Queensland Ports

and Port Darwin). The O. S. K. s.s. Chicago Maru from Tacoms, arrived at Manila on 9th Feb., chasers. and will leave again for this port on February 12th, a.m., and is due here

on February 14th, p.m. The Hansa s.s. O. J. D. Ahlers left Singapore on the 8th February, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 14th February.

The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Sigismund left | TIHE Undersigned have received instruc-Yokohama on Thursday, the 13th | tions to Sell by Public Auction, Bebruary, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 20th Feb. The B. I. S. N. Co.'s s.e. Jelunga from Shanghai and Kobe, lefs Moji on the 14th February, a.m., and may be expected here on or about 19th Feb.,

PASSENGERS EXPECTED. Per P. & O. s.s. Nankin. Due Hong. kong Feb. 19, From London Jan. 11, Mr Colombo on the 27th January, and was J. Barrington, Mr D. Murray, Lt. B.

HONGKONG REGISTER.

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The I. C. S. N. Cc., L.C. s. s. .. Choysand Lowest open air temperature on the 13th 66. T. B. CLARBOX, Director/ Hongkoug Observatory, Vab. 14h, 1913.

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J. M. BECK, Superintendent.

Hongkong, February 14, 1913.



PUBLIC AUGTION.

- the loth Feb. PHILLIPPINE ISLAND. THE Undersigned have received instruc-Per Taisang, at 1 p.m., on Saturday, the tions from the Hox. THE CAPTAIN 15th Feb. SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, to Sell by MACAO.

MONDAY,

Public Auction

the 17th February, 1913, at 2.30 P.M., at GREEN ISLAND,

217 BAGS SALTPETRE, 359 STICKS DYNAMITE,

17 BOXES DETUNATURS. A launch will leave Blake Pier at 2 p.m. the day of sale to convey intending Pur-

TERMS:—As ususi. HUGHES & HOUGH. Government Auctioneers. Hongkong, February 14, 1213.

PUBLIC AUGTION.

(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

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at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-A CONSIGNMENT OF

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A Few Lots of SUNDRIES. (In small lots to suit purchasers). Trems :-- As usual. HUGHES & HOUGH,

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ARRIVALS.

February 13. Koenigin Luise, German str., 0,564, Meiners, Bramerhavon Jan. 2; General .-

February 14. Toan, British str., 1,351, A. W. Outerridge, Manila Feb. 11, General. - Bur-

ERFIELD & SWIRE. Anghin, German str., 1,001, C. Kümpel, Bangkok February 4, Rice and Timber .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIER.

Devanda, British str., 4,783, W. R. F. Hickoy, Bombay Jan. 29, and Singapore Feb. 9, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. Himalaya, British steamer, 4,198, H. G.

Evans, L.N.R., Shanghai Feb. 11, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. Sultan Van Langkat, Dutch steamer, 2,293, C. J. Kuhn, Singapore February 7, Bulk Oil. - ASIATIC PETROLEUM Co.

Rajah, German etr., 1,275, C. Rosiefsky, Rajang Feb. 5, Tunber. - BUTTERFIELD &

Soshu Maru, Japanese str., 1,119, K.

Tashiro, Anping, via Amoy and Swatow Feb. 13, General.—O. S. K. Hangchow, British str. 999, G. Morse, Swatow Feb. 13, Ballast. — BUTTERFIELD

Knongsang, British str., from Canton. Yunnan, British str., from Canton Paoting, British str., from Canton. Bein Kong, Chinese str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES.

February 13. Wakasa Maru, for Shanghai and Kobe.

February, 14. Toustil, for Saigon. Keonguzi, for Swatow and Singapore. Quarta, for Swatow and Saigon. Samsen, for Haiphong. Kiukiang, for Tsingtau and Chefoo. Sueria, for Shanghai and Yokohama.

Laertes, for Saigon. Chinhua, for Shanghai. Bohemia, for Singapore and Trieste. DETWEEN 127, Barker Road, Ponk, Vorwaerts, for Singapore and Trieste. D and 'Craigieburn,' Peak. A GOLD | Haiyang, for Swatow and Foochow. and PEARL BROOCH. Reward on Laiming, for Singapore and Calcutta. Soshu Maru, for Canton.

CLEARED. Himalawa, for Singapore and Bombay. dricke Maru, for Nagasaki and Milke. Drufer, for Bangkok. Vary, for Hongay. Quilos, for Yokohama. Machew, for Swatow and Bangkok. Communications relating to news should | Hangehow, for Canton.

PASSENGERS

tion addressed to the Editor, not necessarily Per Koenigin Luise, from Bremerhaven, for publication but as evidence of good 1,266 German troops. Per Tean, from Manila, Dr and Mrs Shoemaker, Mr Rennolds, Mr and Mrs All matter for publication should be

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The British steamer Tean from Manila reports: Moderate monsoon and sea, fin weather. The British steamer Deranha from Singapore reports : N.E. monsoon I day out.

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On the 14th at 11.10, a.m. The anti cyclone has further weakened. It is now central over Kores and the Yellow Sea. The depression has passed into the Pacific. Gradients are very shallow, except over Japan where they are moderate.

WEATHER REPORT.

Light or variable winds are indicated along the E. coast of China, and moderate light monsoon over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood E. or variable winds, moderate to light moderate.

2.-Formosa Channel : Variable winds 3.—South coast of China between Rong kong and Lamocks: The same as No. 1. 4. South coast of China between House kong and Hainan: The same as No 1.

HONGKONG TIDES

The tide table given below has been compiled at the Nautical Almanae Odies in London from the result of the acceptant of observations taken by means of an acceptant tomatic tide-recording machine in the Trail during the Police Basin at Talm Sha Trail during the years 1887-8-9.

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